GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
SHIPPING, ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:903
ANSWERED ON:09.03.2005
BRIDGES ON N.Hs IN WEST BENGAL
Barman Shri Hiten

Will the Minister of SHIPPING, ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) the details of bridges on the various National Highways constructed in West Bengal during the last three years and till date;

(b) the details of bridges proposed to be constructed during the next three years in the State; and

(c) the details of funds allocated and proposed to be allocated for the same during this period?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF SHIPPING, ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS (SHRI K.H. MUNIYAPPA)

(a) 74 bridges have been constructed on the various National Highways in West Bengal during the last three years and till date. The details are given in the Annexure.

(b) & (c) The development of National Highways (NHs) including construction of bridges is a continuous process. 104 bridges have been identified for construction on the various National Highways in the State (vide details at Annexure) in a phased manner in the subsequent Annual Plans depending upon inter-se priority and the availability of funds. Funds are allocated State-wise and no separate allocation is made for bridges.

ANNEXURE

ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) TO (c) OF THE LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 903 FOR ANSWER ON 9TH MARCH, 2005 ASKED BY SHRI HITEN BARMAN REGARDING BRIDGES ON N.Hs IN WEST BENGAL.

Sl. No.	NH No.	No. of bridges constructed on the various National Highways during the last three years and till date.	No. of bridges identified for construction on the various National Highways.
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1.	2	31	4
2.	6	15	3
3.	31	12	19
4.	31C	4	20
5.	34	5	31
6.	35	1	-
7	41	-	13
8.	55	1	-
9.	60	5	14
	NHs	74	104